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SUBJECT: MFA ANNOUNCEMENT ON END OF TURKISH/GREEK TALKS

REF: ANKARA 4920 (DTG 051130Z JUL 78)

FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENT WAS RELEASED BY MFA JULY 5 FOLLOWING  
END OF TURKISH/GREEK MFA SECGENS MEETING. NO COMMUNIQUE  
HAS BEEN ISSUED. BEGIN TEXT:

FOLLOWING A DECISION TAKEN BY THE PRIME MINISTERS OF  
GREECE AND TURKEY, THE SECRETARIES GENERAL OF THE  
FOREIGN MINISTRIES OF THE TWO COUNTRIES, AMBASSADORS BYRON  
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THEODOROPOULOS AND SUKRU ELEKDAG, MET IN ANKARA ON JULY 4  
AND 5, 1978.

THEIR MEETING HAD THE OBJECTIVE TO CONTINUE THE EXAM-  
INATION OF BILATERAL QUESTIONS ALREADY DISCUSSED BY THE TWO  
PRIME MINISTERS DURING THEIR MEETINGS IN MONTREUX AND IN  
WASHINGTON AND TO EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITY OF A RAPPROACHEMENT  
OF THE VIEWS OF THE TWO SIDES, AS PUT FORWARD BY THE TWO

PRIME MINISTERS.

BEARING IN MIND THE COMMON DESIRE OF THE TWO PRIME  
MINISTERS TO FIND SOLUTIONS TO THE BILATERAL PROBLEMS OF THE  
TWO COUNTRIES, THE TWO SECRETARIES GENERAL PROCEEDED TO A  
FULL, SINCERE AND CONSTRUCTIVE EXAMINATION OF THOSE  
PROBLEMS. IT WAS FOUND THAT AS TO CERTAIN QUESTIONS THE RAPPROCHE-  
MENT OF SUCH VIEWS IS POSSIBLE AND THE SECRETARIES GENERAL HAVE,  
THEREFORE, AGREED TO PURSUE THE DIALOGUE BETWEEN THEM.  
TO THAT EFFECT THEY HAVE DECIDED TO MEET AGAIN IN ATHENS IN  
SEPTEMBER 1978. END TEXT.  
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